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ANOTHER REMINDER.

Mr. HEWITT will please notice the fact that a horse driven through Twentieth street towards Sixth avenue last night after the closing of the theatres stepped on a fallen electric light wire and was instantly thrown to the animal did not fall on the wire or it would doubtless have been instantly killed.

Mr. HEWITT will observe that from the deadly force of the electric current, if a human being had happened to cross the road and to tread on the fallen wire, another death would have been added to the few the Mayor has listed as resulting from the wires.

Does not this suggest to the Mayor the propriety of performing his duty as an ex officio member of the Subway Commission and of helping to put the wires underground? He may have a very great dislike to Subway Commissioner Gibbens, who has faithfully striven to carry out the law, and he-may consider ex-Gov. Connell "an ass," but he certainly ought to do his duty under the Subway act, and not give aid and comfort to the corporations which defy or evade

RECOVERING OUR NAVAL POWER Commander R. D. Evans, the chief steel expert of the Navy Department in the construction of the new cruisers, has given THE WORLD an interesting interview in relation to the great and general improvement in our navy-under the administration of Secretary WHITNEY.

It is the opinion of Commander Evans that if the policy inaugurated by Mr. WHIT-NEY is faithfully and efficiently pursued for ten years to come, the United States will have " as fine a navy as could be desired." France, he says, pursued such a when her naval force was valueless, and at the end of ten years had a better fleet d. If we should go to war to-day our navy would be useless as a menace, but in two years from now our fleet will be an effective commerce-destroying fleet under our present system, and in ten years we shall not have to fear any rival power on the seas.

This is good news, considering for how many years our navy has been dangerous only in its assaults on the Treasury and valuable as an attacking force only to contractors and the lobby. Commander Evans is an authority on the subject, and if, as he says it only requires ten years' time and honest administration to make the Stars and Stripes again a terror to all enemies of the Republic on the seas, the people will not care how much money they devote to the Navy De-

"OH! WHY DID I DO IT?"

"Why did I do it? Oh, why did I do it?" were the first words spoken by the unfortunate woman, Lizzig Holmes, as she lay the other night on the sidewalk of a Brookiyn street, crushed and dying, having thrown herself from a third-story window.

The poor suicide was a married woman only twenty-seven years of age, and she leaves behind her a family of three young children, all under four years old. She had been separated from her husband, and killed herself while, doubtless, temporarily insane through depression of spirits.

No doubt this woman had some heavy grief to bear. But the words she uttered : "Why did I do it?" prove that she regretted her desperate act and would have shrunk from it had she coolly reflected on the consequences. However hard may have been her lot, why should she have left her shree little ones to battle through life without a mother's love and care? Who else would as patiently and as devotedly tend them in sickness and suffering? What love could recompense them for the loss of a mother?

No doubt these were the thoughts which wrung from the dying woman the agonized cry of remorse. And how much misery and erime would be saved if those who are on the point of committing some such rash act would pause and reflect how much they would give, after it was done, to be able to

If the bank robber who committed two bold crimes yesterday, one at 10 in the morning at the Fifth National and the other at 3 in the afternoon at the Commercial National Bank, had been wise, he would prob-

ably have been free to-day, with \$2,000 in his pocket. In his forence neon enterprise he got easily away with that amount. Probably the ease with which the crime was committed tempted him to his afternoon venture, when he statched \$8,000 from the paying teller's deak, and was captured after a chase. Now he will go to Sing

The Case Facetiously Treated—" When a Wennam Cannet Properly Support a Man Wennam Cannet Prop Sing penniless. Avarice is a vice, even in a

The story of the crimes of the confidential clerk of one of the best known law firms in the city is absolutely marvellous. years JAMES E. BEDELL has carrying on transactions reaching nearly \$300,000 in loans on real estate, every one of which have been fraudulent. False mortgages have been given, forgeries by the score have been committed. and the sharpest and most careful investor have been imposed upon. Mr. BEDELL is the prince of swindlers and throws even PERDINAND WARD into the shade.

A "young bachelor" gives the opinionnot an expert's, of course-that marriage is not a failure, because, he says, a young man who marries must give up club, outside com panions, small vices, including tobacco and liquor, and must keep up courtship after marriage. If "Young Bachelor," who says he has \$1,200 a year income, will send us his real name and address, we will guarantee that he need not be a young bachelor a month longer.

Mayor Hawirr was in fine condition and excellent temper yesterday when he reviewed the Italian parade to celebrate the overthrow of the temporal power of the Pope. The occasion was the eighteenth anniversary of the triumphal entry of the Italian troops into Rome. Mr. HEWITT congratulated the Italians on their display, but no flag was floated from the City Hall.

Secretary Whitney contradicts the story that objections were made by naval officers ground, partially paralyzed. Fortunately the to the selection of the wife of Naval Constructor Wilson as the godmother of the new cruiser Baltimore. He says the launch was delayed because the ship was not ready, and that Mrs. Wilson, and nobody else, will officiate at the christening. The last announcement is quite satisfactory.

> BEDELL, the champion swindler, says h lost \$120,000 in the last two years at the policy shop of EMERSON & Goss, 180 Broadway. Well, THE EVENING WORLD has done its best to expose and drive out these policy dens, but the courts do not seem to consider them very great evils, after all.

> Although ex-Sheriff JAMES O'BRIEN'S OF ganization, which has just opened headquarters at No. 427 Fifth avenue, is called the 'Anti-Cleveland Protective Democracy," it is understood to favor a tariff for revenue. Applications to be made to the Finance Committee for a detailed schedule.

Fire Chmmissioner RICHARD CROKER has gone to Washington after an interview with Mr. WILSON S. BISSELL, President CLEVE-LAND's former partner, who is just from the national capital. There is music in the air. But is it harmony?

PICKED UP ON PARK ROW.

" Cay " Follett is the same old baseball crank he lways was.

Albert Nuttall is expected to return from his va-Theodore Reynolds is in Westchester County

spending his vacation.

It is said that J. MacDonald has more new suits

Dr. Young fell overboard at the Branch recently. ming ashore.

"Mr." Titus has just as good a voice as be ever had, and his careful manner of exercising it often wins the game for the Washingtons. "Dear old Uncle Eddy" Smith, as the boys call

him, is shouting as loud as ever over Cleveland and Thurman's chances for being elected. WORLDLINGS.

The people of Vanceburg, Ky., are discussing the singular fact that the last ninety-five babies born in that town are all girls. Mr. William Pool, of Limestone Hill, W. Va.,

has a powder-born that Gen. Washington gave to his grandfather over a hundred years ago. Mr. Pool prizes this treasure very highly,

The distinction of being the youngest bank president in the West is claimed by A. H. H. Hebor, of Mead Centre, Kan., who is now thirty-six, and he for two years directed the affans of the chief bank in that town. Mr. Hebor was a delegate to the Chicago Convention for the Seventh Congressional District of Kansas.

John I. Biair, the magnate of Blairstown, N. J., is now in his eighty-seventh year, but he is still remarkably active, and directs his varied interests with his old-time shrewdness. Mr. Blair built the first railroad across the State of Iows, from Cedar Rapids to Council Biuffs. He is at present the largest individual stockholder in the Chicago and

In the home of Major Rowland, Commandant of he Soldiers's Home at Quincy. Ill., there is a plano that was brought over from London about one State was but sparsely settled. It is of resewood. beautifully iniald and decorated, with a key-board hardly longer than that of a child's plano of to-day, Its strings give forth a harp-like tone when struck. It is the oldest plano in the State.

Rough on Grandma.



Little Philip-Old Mrs. Winbeak told me to-day res the image of my grandpa. Is that grandpa! Grandma-Yes, my dear.

Woman Cannot Properly Support a Man He Should Not Marry "-The Mothersin-Law Defended-Speaking from Forty one Years' Experience.

the Editor of The Evening World;

Whether or not marriage is a failure seem to us to hinge entirely upon the standpoint from which it is viewed. If a woman is rich marry by all means. Thousands of poor men ashamed to beg and loath to work, have

marry by all means. Thousands of poor men, ashamed to beg and loath to work, have bowed their necks to the yoke of matrimony, and found themselves comfosted by country seats, shooting boxes, valets, yachts, fast horses, operas, &c., to say nothing of cigars and matches ad libitum.

But if a woman is poor, marry—never. With her utmost endeavor, with the exertion of all her powers, whether physical or mental, she cannot properly support a husband. In one way or another his comfort must be abridged. His wardrobe cannot be suitably provided. Instead of the finest of silk, 10 to 1 he must content himself with woollen underwear and for hosiery, lisle thread or, possibly, in extreme cases, vulgar cotton. When his friend goes yachting he must fall back upon his Mexican grass hammock and the latest novel, which is all that his wife's parsimony will provide.

For the fast trotters of his more fortunate friends he must substitute the clumsy cob, though Matilda is perfectly aware how deeply his pleasure and happiness is involved. She cannot properly train and educate his children, and instead of an accomplished and cultivated family such as he desires to have about him, he has the pain of beholding an illiterate set of youngsters, added to his other deprivations. True, little John can black his father's boots to as high a polish as the corner bootblack, but if Matilda can set a table and wait upon the door as deftly as any servant maid in Christendom, but if there were a cook in the kitchen and a second girl to supplement her above stairs, little Matilda could play the piano (provided there was one) and grow up a lady. No matter how earnest his solicitations, it frequently transpires that the confort of a valet.

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In any event a man should count the cost and weigh the matter seriously before marrying a poor woman. If he is not perfectly sure of his sentiments, positive that he can bring his wants down to the limit of her capacity to supply them, let him beware and wait for a better chance. It is unjust to himself, and under all other conditions marriage must be a failure.

F. J. S. nust be a failure. Norwood, N. J.

A Good Word for the Mother-in-Law

Will you kindly allow me space in you paper to say a few words in defense of the nuch-abused ''Mother-in-law?" A mother has her daughter's interest too much at heart to ever counsel or cause her to quarrelwith a good husband. Always solicitous for her daughter's welfare, she is glad and happy when that daughter marries and lives in peace and unity with the man of her choice. Often and often she has been the means of making peace between two young married people who do not quite understand each other. But when her child marries a man who, instead of protecting the woman he has vowed to love and cherish forever, makes her life a nightmare of misery by his ill-treatment, is not every instinct of the mother's heart aroused in the daughter's defense?

Even the brute beasts protect their young at the cost of their lives, and shall a human mother stand by and see her daughter ill-treated? ner daughter's interest too much at heart to

treated?
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When her husband's hand is raised against her, where shall the poor, terrified, desolate and stricken young wife fly but to the protecting arms of mother? To whom but "mother" can she confide the story of her grief and trouble and be sure of sympathy? Indeed, a woman's pride often prevents her from having any other confidente.

There are too many cases of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde. Too many men, who in the eyes of the world are "good fellows," but who at home are the incarnations of evil. Too many bad husbands have made the convenient plea of "mother-in-law" a loophole of escape from justice. Let the "mother-in-law" be heard from. She has too long been the scapegoat of the "son-in-law." She has not done as much as she is credited with doing in making a marriage a failure

M. Harrington Noss.

Has Been Married Forty-One Years.

Certainly among those fools who make a failure of everything they undertake : who rush into matrimony at an immature age without judgment, without consideration, without discretion, but simply, as they phrase it, because they are in love.

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I do not know how to illustrate my meaning in a better way than by relating the history of my own marriage, forty-one years ago. I am now seventy-four years old. I waited patiently and worked hard and saved my money until thirty-two years of age, and then made up my mind, if if I fell in love, to proceed cautiously. This did not take long. I made diligent inquiry without the lady's knowledge, and was satisfied with what I learned. I had \$2,000 a year and \$1,000 in bank. I am now in my forty-first year or marriage; have six children, all provided for but one, who is sought in marriage, and my wife and I are better friends to-day than ever. Marriage is a success, except among Marriage is a success, except among

Paul Pry Puts a Case.

" Is Marriage a Failure?" It would be if man was unfortunate enough to marry a girl as per sample : A young woman, age twenty; can't cook, sew, sing, dauce or play the piano (she has one); never reads, save novels; has no energy or life, is impudent to her betters. Her only conversation is what somebody else was or is wearing; comes down in the morning slipshod, hair unkempt unless somebody is known to be coming to the house; considers herself too "tony" to go out to work as a "help." but lives upon her widowed mother; has no talent for anything unless it be dawdling her life away. Yes, marriage with this creature would be a failure. This picture is from actual life.

PAUL PRY,

179 Eleventh street, Brooklyn. her betters. Her only conversation is what

Opinion of "A Young Bachelor Without

To the Editor of The Evening World: Perhaps a bachelor is not an authority on narriage, but he can find opportunity for observation. To me it seems that if a man loves a girl well, enough to wed her he can forego his dub and outside companions and, if need be, all petty vices (as the use of to-bacco and liquor) to make his wife more happy. Courting must not be stopped with the wedding. Conciliation on both sides must be practised. Wives must be neat and attractive, still exercising the little arts of pleasing so patent in courtship. As a your man without vices of any kind and a lover home, I am sure shough that marriage is not a failure to try it myself should the girl be found who would live on the small income of \$1.200 a year. Young Bachelon.

" Heartbroken" Wants Advice.

I have read THE EVENING WORLD for the last year, and always found both :un and interest in it. I have read the "Is Marriage : Failure ?" letters every night since they first

Where Love Is Wasted.

I, for my part, do not think marriage is a failure. If both parties continue to be as lovable after marriage as before there can be no cause for complaint. If men continued no cause for complaint. If men continued to be lovers after they were married and wives were more patient, none could complain. But some never really knew what love meant, and that is the cause of unhappiness. Then, truly, with them marriage is a failure. But where true love reigns master there is no room for such unwelcome guests as misery and unhappiness. I have been a happy wife a great many years, and my husband fluds no greater pleasure than to spend his evening with wife and children. Clubs and the boys have no interest for him, as he and the boys have no interest for him, as he thinks there is no place like home. F. M. A. D.

BRIGHT BITS OF CHILD TALK.

Sayings of the Sages and Humorists of the

When my little friend-I'll call him Alber for short—was some five years old, he lived at Bond Hill, one of the suburbs of Cincin nati. He was quite interested in the flower nati. He was quite interested in the flower garden and numbered Johnny Jump-Ups among his favorites. It was in early spring when he stood with his nose against the window-pane looking thoughtfully into the garden. Suddenly he turned around and addressed his aunty as follows:

'Aunty, it's pretty near time for the flowers to come out, isn't it?"

'Yes," replied his aunty. "It won't be long now. Why?"

"Well, I was just wondering if any of my little Johnny Hic-coughs would grow this year."

Norwood, O., Sept. 17.

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The Baby Was Sunburnt. A little girl on her way to see a baby cousin new-comer, had asked her mother: "Where lid this baby come from?" and been answered: "Dr. — must have brought it from the country." The baby, which was of the orthodox glowing complexion, was duly presented. The little girl took one look, turned to her mother and exclaimed: "Mercy, ain't be sunburnt!"

Thought He Was a Fugitive Also. Tommy was a little rogue, whom his mother and hard work to manage. Tommy, to escape a well-deserved whipping, ran from his mother and crept under the sofa. Presently the father came home, and hearing where the boy had taken refuge, crept under to bring him out. As be approached on his hands and knees Tommy asked: "Is she after you.

No Good Without the Button-Hole, Mr. P.'s little daughter came running to her aunt one day, saying: "Aunt Katie, little Mattie has swallowed a button!" Seeing her terror, her aunt calmly replied: "Well, what good will that do her?" Said the child very seriously: "Not any good, as I can see, un less she swallows a button-hole!"

Inquiring for the Family. Last summer a friend took a grandchild to Pennsylvania and passed through Bethlehem. The child, hearing the brakeman in an-nouncing the station cry out "Bethlehem," turned to her grandma and said: "Do you think any of Jesus's folks live here now?"

A Fewi Proceeding. "Mamma, is the old hen going to be sent way for the summer?" "No, Charlie: why do you ask?" "Cause I heard papa tell the new governess that he would take her out riding when he sent the old hen away for the summer."

No Cate in Heaven. Minnie (her kitten being dead)—Has Pussy zone to heaven, papa? Papa-No, darling. Why not?" "They don't want cats in eaven." Minnie-Would they scratch the

Will Answer the Description. A boy at school, on being asked to describe kitten, said, "A kitten is remarkable for ushing like mad at nothing whatever, and stopping before it gots there.

The Drug Clerks' Fight.

I saw an article in your valuable paper headed "Drug Clerks Fight Long Hours," in regard to which I would like to say my word. The drug clerks tried to get up a union two

The drug clerks tried to get up a union two years ago in order to get shorter hours, but I am sorry to say they failed.

I for one am supposed to open the store at 7 a. M. (in summer at 6.30 a. M.) and keep open until 11 p. M. (Saturdays until midnight), besides attending to all night-calls, which sometimes amount to three and four in one night, for which there is no compensation either in time or in money. This is about the regular run in most stores of the city.

If your paper would take this matter up a great deal would be done towards helping the unfortunate and overworked drug clerks of the city of New York. Yours truly,

AN UNFORTUNATE DRUG CLERK.

AN UNFORTUNATE DRUG CLERK. New York, Sept. 21. Thirteenth Street Evening High School.

The New York Evening High School, formerly seeting in Thirteenth street, near Sixth avenue has been removed to School-House No. 26 at 124 West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue. The school is now open every evening for the ex-smination and registration of students. with stealing 15,000 bushels of wheat from the Minneapolis Union Elevator in Southeast Minneapolis. Haniey has been D. C. Moaks & Co.'s cashler and bookkeeper. Others suspected of com-plicity are well-known wheat men. Hanley re-fused to talk.



er (to midnight robber)-Hold! or I fire! M. Robber-I am holdin' with all me might What more do you want? 111 Johnson avenue, Brookiya. News Summary.

Greece wants to fight Turkey. The Ameer of Afghanistan is reported dead. The U. S. man-or-war Nipsic is ordered to A riot occurs among the soldiers at Portobello Barracks, Dublin. Speaker Fremont Cole, of the Assembly, marries Miss Roberts, of Havana, N. Y.

A nephew of Mayor Hewitt is married to a daughter of Bishop Scarborough, at Trenton, A game of baseball is played at Washington between the actors and reporters, for the benefit of the yellow-fever sufferers.

Miss Tebbetts, a society belle, of St. Louis, elopes with her father's concliman, twice her age, but they are captured before they have a chance to marry.

French marines trying to raise their national flag on an island of the Marquesas group are savagely attacked, and 200 Frenchman and 2,000 natives are killed.

IF you want to relieve the diseases of teething with

FOR THE PEOPLE'S FREE COURSE.

Long List of Lecturers Brought Before

Agents Are Selling.

partment.

representing that the proceeds were to be

These complaints becoming so numerous

Notwithstanding the publicity given to the

matter, the canvassers continued their work

with great success, and a week ago two of

them called upon Mr. S. Dessau, a John

street jeweller, to whom they related the

plausible story that they were two firemen,

canvassing for the book in the interests of

the Relief Fund, and that it was purely vol-

untary work on their part, as they received

no pay for their trouble, but the Relief Fund was very low and they were appointed to so-

The request was granted, and this book is

Since then they had heard nothing from the publisher, except that he was selling the book on false representations, and they had vainly tried to stop it.

vainly tried to stop it.

In the rôle of a prospective purchaser the reporter called upon the publisher, Mr. A. E. Costello, at his office, 2 West Fourteenth street, and in reply to his inquiries Mr. Costello stated that he had heard that some of his agents had made representations to purchasers that were untrue, but that he was not responsible for their words.

POLITICAL POINTS.

"The Protective Democracy" is the name of the

It is under the management of ex-Sheriff James

boodle. He started out to secure \$200,000, and it

is not believed that he secured more than \$50,000.

A member of the Democratic State Committee

said vesterday: "Warner Miller has peid an as-

sessment of \$50,000 to the Republican State Com-

mittee. I was told so by a member of that com-

The County Democracy Hill ratification meeting

last evening at Cooper Institute was a rouser de-

spite the rain. The speech of Patrick A. Coilins

was attentively listened to and was repeatedly in-

There are now 2,500 enrolled members of the

Tammany Hall Committees and Association of the

best Wigwam district organizations in the city.

says the Republicans want odds of 10 to 7.

Fourteenth Assembly District. It is one of the

has \$20,000 he wants to wager on Cleveland. He

Ex-Assemblyman John Douglas, of Kings, knows

a man who bas \$10,000 that he will wager against

Have They Been Stealing Wheat?

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 20. -W. G. Hanley,

well-known commission design and member of the firm of Peterson & Hanley, was arrested about

midnight last night on a warrant charging him

A Sure Sign.

*• I didn't know he was running for anything." "Oh, but he is then. I saw him going to church at Sunday."

Wayfarers at the Hotels.

W. B. Jordan, of Boston; J. C. Edwards, of Peoria, Ill., and G. M. Mouiton, of Chicago, are at the Bartholdi.

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At the Brunswick are P. Grimth, of London: F.
D. Moore, of Ottawa. Canaca; H. A. Simonson, of
Washington, and Dwight Braman, of Boston.
Thomas Eldridge, of Saratoga; M. E. Dayton, of
Chicago; J. L. Lewis, of Pittsburg, and R. J.
Dewey, of Brockville, Canada, are at the Gilaey
House.

Among the latest arrivals at the Pifth Avenua are W. F. Foster, of London: T. J. Storey, of Liverpool; Sam Tate, jr., of Memphis, and L. P. French, of Boston.

Prominent at the Hoffman House are G. H. Tich-enor, of Washington; J. M. Woodward, of St. Louis; S. H. Russell, of New Beutord, and H. P. Burney, of Washington.

(From the Boston Transcript.)

on Hill. Here is a chance for the rich

rganization which meets at 497 Fifth avenue.

other old-time kickers.

Campaign sommittees.

terfupted by applause.

friends of Warner Miller.

of Pennsylvania.

General interest in the free lectures to be delivered in the public schools under the provisions of THE EVENING WORLD bill, together with the tireless efforts of the Board Commissioners Doesn't Stop Their Little Scheme-Such Operations Not Conte-nanced by the Publishers of the Book the of Education Committee, comprising Commissioners Guggenheimer, O'Brien and Dodge, have brought forward a large number of lecturers available for the purposes of the course, all of whom are highly recom-Several complaints have been made re mended by people competent to speak of cently to the Fire Department that certain their merits. The list includes the followunscrupulous parties have been canvassing for a book entitled "Our Firemen," and

ing instructors and experts:
Prof. Bickmore, 12 East Forty-first street.
Prof. Herman Leroy Fairchild, 54 West Fifty-fifth street. Prof. William Stratford, 17 Lexington ave-

applied to the Relief Fund of the Fire Deue. Dr. Charles H. May, Madison avenue and the Commissioners passed the following resolution a short time ago, which was published

In the daily papers:

The Fire Commissioners having been informed that persons have been soluting subscriptions to the Fire Department Relief Fund, in connection with canvassing for a history of the department, the Commissioners desire to warn the public that no one has been authorized to use the name of the department or its Relief Fund for any such purpose.

Dr. Charles H. May, Madison avenue and Fifty.ninth street, lecturer in hygiene and medical topics.
Dr. James A. Carmiohael.
Alice D. Le Plongeon, lectures illustrated with photographic views made on the spot in Yucatan.
J. W. Harmon. 1822 Lexington avenue, lecture illustrated with the Edison speaking phonograph, together with a thorough but simple explanation of all the principles involved and the laws of sound which govern its use, illustrated forcibly and pleasantly.
Dr. Egbert L. Viele, lecturer in physiology and hygiene.
G. A. Clement, 38 Park row, constitutional law and those jundamental legal principles

and hygiene.

G. A. Clement, 38 Park row, constitutional law and those fundamental legal principles having special application to the rights and duties of workingmen and working women in their various social and domestic relations.

Alderman Alfred R. Conkling, lecturer on Mexico, using twenty-six stereopticons and map, without compensation.

Dr. Robert E. Weiel, 711 Madison avenue, lecturer in history, political and constitutional literature and political economy.

Mr. E. F. Farrington, 93 Seuth Portland avenue, Brooklyn, lectures, recitations and stereopticon exhibitions.

Dr. H. H. Rusby, Columbia College, lecturer in physiology and hygiene.

Prof. Spencer L. Hiller, 256 West Fifty-fourth street, lecturer on natural science.

Miss Elizabeth Stow Brown, M. D., 4
Rutherford place, Stuyvesant square, lecturer on physiology and hygiene.

Dr. T. O'Connor Sloan, 361 Broadway, lecturer on physics and chemistry.

Mr. L. J. B. Lincoln, Deerfield, Mass., lecturer on American history.

Dr. Nathan S. Roberts, 149 East Sixtysecond street, lecturer on anatomy, hygiene, &c.

Mr. Stephen Helm, 417 Putnam avenue.

was very low and they were appointed to solicit subscriptions.

Being impressed with their story, Mr. Dessau subscribed, and two days after the book was delivered at his office.

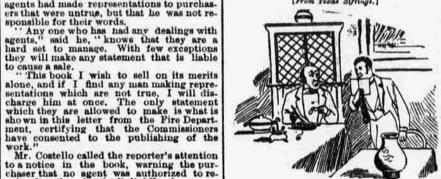
In thinking over the matter Mr. Dessau concluded to write to the Fire Department and ascertain if everything was as the canvassers had stated, and received an answer informing him that the department had authorized no such proceeding, and that the statements of the agents were untrue.

Secretary Jussen, of the Fire Department, informed an Evening Wolld reporter that the publisher of the book had m 1886 offered to donate \$5,000 to the Relief Fund if they would give him access to the records and enable him to write a history of the department.

&c.
Mr. Stephen Helm, 417 Putnam avenue,
Brooklya, iecturer on microscopial life.
Mr. Charles S. Allen, 107 East Eighty-fifth street, lecturer on chemistry.
Dr. Henry G. Hanchett, 38 West Ninth street, lecturer on medical topics.

FUN FOR AFTER DINNER.

The Last Man Who Ought to Complain. [From Texas Siftings.]



to a notice in the book, warning the pur-chaser that no agent was authorized to re-ceive donations for the Relief Fund. "I was compelled to do this," said he, "as I discovered that one of my agents was using the book as a blind for getting money." Bald-headed Man-Here, watter, this is an infernal outrage. Here is a hair swimming around in the soup.

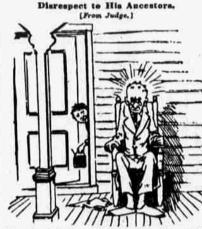
Waiter—Well, don't make such a fuse about a trifle. Hair is what you need most, ain't it?

Seasonable Agricultural Advice-

[From the Chicago News.]
The coming of the harvest moon renders timely the following advice on agricultural matters: Cut your hay fever.

PBrien, ex-Congressman Hardy, Orlando L. stewart, ex-Alderman Robert Powers and a few Take in your machinery plants at night for fear f frost, Thrash your seed pearls. Husk your corns. "The Protective Democracy" believe in protecting themselves first, and it is understood that

Husk your corns.
To prevent damage from sudden frosts: Eccpout of the wheat pit.
To recover from the effects of short crops: Keep away from the barber.
How to find out whether this is to be an open winter: Wait and see. their expenses are to be paid by the Republican Col. Quay, the chief engineer of the Republican National machine, has returned from his financial foraging expedition among the iron and coal baron



Grandpa (who has retired to the piazza, fallen them flies would follow me out here in the dark!

But his pot grandchild, who had applied som t grandchild, who had applied some ent paint to his grandpa's nead, knew

Equal to the Occasion.

(From the Detroit Free Press.)
** Porter!" called a desperate man on a sleeping ear, "I can't sleep a wink for the racket in that upper berth across the alele. bee who it is and ask them for heaven's sake to stop snoring and let The porter investigated and returned with the information that it was a lady, and she did not speak English.

'Ah, said the anpry traveller, 'a s'nora evidently," and he took his pillow and a quilt and sought repose in the smoking-car.

He Was Too Busy. [From the Cateago Tribune.]

ng movement, " 'I am not, Miss Hajones," replied! the Profes sor, crossing one leg loose-jointedly over the other, "and my time is too fully taken up to permit me to connect myself with any movement whatever." The young lasy looked furtively at the clock.
"That seems a great pity, Professor," she said.

An Obliging Editor. [From the Chicago Tribune.] Pacetious Visitor in Newspaper Office (to editor)

May I use your brains a moment? Editor-My brains ? Editor—My brains?

Visitor (smitingly picking up scissors)—Yes, sir.

Only a moment. I want to—

Editor (with great cordiality)—Certainly you
may. Use them as long as you please. Always
glad to furnish brains to a man that hasn't any.

Burney, of Washington.
At the St. James are Hawthorne Hill, of Louisville, Ky.; W. G. Price, of Pittsburg; G. M. Dann,
of Denver; J. R. O'Hara, of Boston, and D. K.
Collier, of Lexington, Ky.
Registered at the Sturievant House are J. J.
Alley, of Alabama; John Kilkenney, of New Orleans; H. O. Price, of Cleveland; F. E. Nickerson, of Boston, and Townsend Percy, of London. Notes of the Campaign. their rooms, 548 Broadway, near Leonard street.

The Cleveland and Thurman Workingmen's Campaign Club of the Thirse-nth Assembly District organized at 220 West Eighteenth street last evening and enrolled ninety-seven membera. The following officers were electred: John C. Cunningnam, President: James J. Cavanagh, Vice-President; James C. Brennan, Financial Secretary; Martin J. Durkin, Recording Secretary; Joseph J. Phalan, Tressurer; John B. Brannan, Bergeant-st-Arms. Conspicuous at the Astor House are T. H. Carlio, of Allegheny, Pa.; J. H. Branan and J. B. Caldwell, of Washington; S. P. Hubbard, of Roston; E. A. Carter, of Portland. Me., and Prof. J. W. Mallett, of the University of Virginia. Among the Chivernity of Virginia.

Among the Grand Botel guests are Dr. C. M. Williams, of Washington, D. C.; Lot Flannery, of Washington; Thomas B. Russell, of Massillon, Onio; D. C. Eacon, of Georgia, and Gen, Roger A. Pryor, of this city.

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This new department is now ready for Fall Trade with a most perfect Stock of Men's Headwear. Every new and desirable shape in Sik Hats, Soft Hats and Derbys, guaranteel to be of the best makes, and sold at especially low prices to mere thoroughly introduce the department.

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A REPRESENTATIVE JERSEYMAN.

Allan McDermott, the Che-Time Reporter. No truer representative of the "self. made" men of the period than Allan Lang-

don McDermott, of Jersey City, can be

found in all Jersey. Mr. McDermott was born in South Boston in 1854, and is a son of Hugh Farrar McDermott, the poet. All but two of his thirtyfour years of life have been spent in Jersey

Oity.

When able to do for himself, young Allan

When able to do for himself, young Allan became a reporter, and in his leisure moments studied law. Gov. Abbett took him into his office and taught him the principles which have pushed hin for ward. In 1877 Mr McDermott became an attorney, and two years later was made Cerporation Attorney of Jersey City.

Four years later, Gov. Ludlow appointed him a District Court Judge, At he same time Mayor Taussig, of Jersey City, appointed him a member of the City Roard of Finance, and as President of that bedy Mr. McDermott engineered the city through a financial crisis and saved its credit. It has been truly said of him that he knows more bout the finances and other affairs of the city than any other man in it.

Mr. McDermott is now a member of the State Board of Assessors and Clerk of the Court of Chancery. Located at Trentor, he leads the Democracy of the State, and will be a creditor of President Cleveland after the election. He was temporary Chairman of the convention which nominated Gov. Abbett and permanent Chairman of that which nominated Gov. Green.

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nated Gov. Green.
Allan McDermott is one of the most congenial men one would ask to meet. His friends are everywhere and his enemies those who only favor him by their enmity. He is

very young and may carve a greater name before he is very old. A PROSPEROUS BROTHERHOOD.

Seven Years the Carpenters and Joiners Have Formed 475 Unions.

Secretary P. J. McGuire, of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, writes from the headquarters of that body to say that it is in a very prosperous condition, and since the consolidation of the United Order and the Brotherhood it has increased its membership largely. He

The Brotherhood was founded in convention at Chicago, Aug. 12, 1881. At first it had only 12 lo-cal umons and 2,042 members. Now, in seven years, it has grown to number over 475 local unions in over 445 cities, and 58,000 enrolled members. It in over 445 cities, and 55,000 enrolled members. It is organized to protect the carpetaer trade from the evils of low prices and botch-work; its aim is to encourage a higher standard of skill and better wages, to re-establish an apprentice system, and to aid and assist the members by mutual protection and benevolent means. It pays a wife funeral benefit from \$25 to \$50; members funeral benefit, \$100 to \$200, and disability benefit, \$100 to \$500. In these general benefits \$18,750 have been expended the past year, \$10,700 have been expended the past year, and \$53,675 the past five years, while \$200,000 more were spent for sick benefits by tae local unions. The Brotherhood is also a protective trade union as well as a benerolent society. It has raised the wages in 268 cities and placed \$4,500,000 more wages annually in the pockets of the carpeniers in those cities. It reduced the hours of labor to 6 nours a day in 25 cities, and 9 hours a day in 107 cities, not to speak of 152 cities which have setablished the 8 or 9 hour system on Saturdays. By this means 4,000 more men have gained employment. This is a result of thorough organization, and yet, very few strikes have occurred, and very little mousy has been spent on strikes by this society. It is not a secret, oath-bound organization. All competent carpenters are eligible to join.

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Secretary McGuire's address is Post-Office box 884 Philadelphia. Early Closing Pushes Ahead.

An east-side branch of the Early-Closing Association has been formed by the employees in dry and fancy goods stores in that section of the city, its principal purpose being the closing of all the stores principal purpose being the closing of all the stores at 7. M. from Jan. 1, 1858.

The public on the east side, as well as the proprietors of the larger stores, are said to be very prospect that the hard-working employees will have their working day of fourteen to eighteen heurs materially shortened.

The meetings of the association take place every sonday at 2 P. M., at Brecht's Hall, 197 East Fourth street, and every workingman is cordially invited to attend.

Good at Dressing Hogs. In the staid town of L—, in the Nutmer State, lived two farmers, A. and B., both of whom were noted local hog butchers. B., however, was also noted for being mean and

owever, was also noted for one day B. passed along when A. had just finished butchering a hog, and the following

finished butchering a hog, and the following dialogue took place:
Farner B.- Say, naybur, how long wus yer dressin' that hog?
Farmer A.- Bout two hours, I guess.
Farmer B.- Tew hours? Great Scott! I kin dress a hog in halt that time.
Farmer A.- Think you had oughter; you dress one every morning.
E. World Reader.

Not Needed There. [From the Philadelphia Record.]
Dressmaker—There doesn't seem to be stuff

enough here to make a train three yards long. Society Belle-Dear me ! How much more is

"About half a yard."
"Well, take it off the neck."

A Commendable Innovation.

Two special trains of palace cattle cars, with ining cars attached, are coming through from Nevada to Chicago on passenger time. All the occupants of the cars get feed frequenty except the porter. This innovation will doubtless meet with great favor among the travelling public.

Do You

Have that extreme tired feeling, languor, without appe-tite or strength, impaired digestion, and a general feel-ing of masery it is impossible to describe? Hood's Ser-saparilla is a wonderful medicine for creating an appe-tite, promoting digestion, and toning up the wnois spa-tem, giving strength and activity in place of weakness and debility. Be sure to get Hood's Saranparith. Said by drugstes. St. int for 85. Propaged only by G. L. HOOD & CO., Apotheraries, Lowell, Mass.